Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 27 Jun 2023 until 23:59 on Wednesday 28 Jun 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 27 Jun 2023 at 03:08

Confidence: High for the overall narrative of a cooler and more unsettled spell of weather with periods of rain and showers. Lower for frontal timings and positioning and for extent of lowest cloud bases.

Headline for Tuesday 27 Jun 2023: A cloudy day with spells of rain, heavy at times. Drizzly through the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 27 Jun 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Dull	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Drizzle	Drizzle	Mist
Precipitation probability					
20%	70%	60%	40%	30%	20%

Forecast for Tuesday 27 Jun 2023

Weather: Soon becoming overcast with blanket cloud covering the mountains by mid-morning. Pulses of rain and drizzle soon arriving from the west, these are likely to become fairly heavy and persistent this morning, before becoming more light and drizzly in the afternoon. Low cloud persisting. Feeling breezy throughout with strong and persistent southwesterly winds, gusting across higher and exposed routes. Staying murky for most of the afternoon and with patchy rain and drizzle. Some strong gusty southwesterly winds, especially across higher routes.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20%, but 40% across eastern hills.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive low cloud with bases around 400-500m by mid-morning, some lower slopes towards the coast may also be obscured at times. Bases likely remaining slightly higher towards Abergavenny. Generally good or moderate visibilities, but dropping to poor in or very poor in periods of drizzle or rain.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	15/18 SW	19/23 SW	21/28 SW	21/29 SW	19/25 SW	17/23 SW	16/23 SW
300	8/16 SW	11/21 SW	14/26 SW	14/27 SW	13/24 SW	10/21 SW	10/21 SW
Valley	7/14 SW	9/20 SW	13/25 SW	13/26 SW	11/23 SW	9/20 W	9/20 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/9	12/9	14/10	14/11	14/11	14/11	14/11
300	14/13	15/13	16/14	17/14	16/14	16/14	16/14
Valley	15/14	16/14	17/15	17/15	17/15	16/16	16/15
Freezing Level*	3500m	3600m	3800m	3800m	3600m	3800m	3800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

There is a risk of seeing persistent rain and drizzle at times which may make paths slippery. This alongside very poor visibilities across the hills and gusty winds may create difficult walking conditions.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Tue 27 Jun 2023	0mm	0mm	1mm

Forecast for Wednesday 28 Jun 2023

Weather: Low cloud expected to shroud the hills for the majority of the day, with mist and drizzly outbreaks expected. From early afternoon a band of rain moves across the area giving a risk of heavy and persistent rain for a few hours, before conditions slowly begin to improve into the evening with clearing skies. A chance of cloud bases lifting late into the evening, with drier conditions and improved visibilities but confidence of rain clearance low at this time.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly winds, 15-20mph, gusting 20-25mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 20% but 40% across eastern hills. Improving to 80% from the west late on.

Low cloud and visibility: Dull and cloudy day with extensive cloud bases expected around 400-500m for the majority of the day, perhaps lowering to 300m in the west. Short-lived cloud breaks developing to the lee of hills in the east, mainly in the morning and again late on. Poor to very poor visibility in rain and drizzle, moderate to good otherwise.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 16 degrees Celsius rising to plus 20 degrees Celsius
At 600m: Plus 12 degrees Celsius rising to plus 14 degrees Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits.

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